



PATENT  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Roderic Dale et al.** )  
Application No. **10/076,597** ) Group Art Unit: **1635**  
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For: **Therapeutic Antisense Phosphodiesterase** )  
**Inhibitors** )

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

In response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2003 Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement in view of the following remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.